### Banks.

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BANKERS: CAPITAL & COUNTIES BANK, LIMITED. HEAD OFFICE: No. 3, PRINCE'S STREET, LONDON.

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Manager. Hongkong, 6th November, 1803. THE MERCANTILE BANK OF

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INDIA, LIMITED. AUTHORISED CAPITAL .....£1,500,000 

BANKERS: LONDON JOINT STOCK BANK, LIMITED.

INTEREST ALLOWED on CURRENT ACCOUNTS at the Rate of 2 per cent. per annum on the Daily Balance.

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Manager, Hongkong. Hongkong, 4th February, 1893. THE NATIONAL BANK OF CHINA, to that paid by the local Offices. LIMITED.

IEAD OFFICE :- HONGKONG.

Court of Directors:-D. Gillies, Esq. ChowTungShang,Esq. Chan Klt Shan, Esq. Kwan Hoi Chuen, Esq. H. Stolterioht, Esq. Chief Manager,

GEO. W. F. PLAYFAIR. Branches.-London, Yokohama, Shanghai and

BANKERS:-The Commercial Bank of Scotland, Parrs Banking Co., and The Alliance Bank (Ld.)

Interest for 12 months Fixed, 5 per Cent. Hongkong, 16th November, 1893.

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GRAND ASSAULT-AT-ARMS AND

MILITARY SPECTACULAR EXHIBITION.

Under the suspices of the VICTORIA RECREATION CLUB THE FIRST SHROPSHIRE LIGHT INFANTRY.

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His Honour Mr. Justice FIELDING CLARKE. To be held on SATURDAY, 16TH DECEMBER, 1893,

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Double Trapeze, &c.
Fencing — Single-Sticks—Quarter-Staff—Sword v. Bayonet, Defensive Exercises :-Indian Club - Lance & Sword Exhibitions :-Exercises-Musical Drill with Arms.

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Concluding with a grand representation of AN ATTACK ON THE FORTRESS OF ALL MUSIID.

ADMISSION :-Dress Circle and Stalls .....\$2.00. Back Seats ...... \$1.00.

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KELLY & WALSH, Limited, or the STEWARD, VICTORIA RECREATION CLUB. Hangkang, 5th December 1802

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ASSURANCE. I. AMONG THE MANY ADVANT-AGES of this form of Assurance, the following may be mentioned:-

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STANDARD LIFE OFFICE. Hongkong, 8th August, 1803. SOUTH BRITISH FIRE AND MARINE

INSURANCE COMPANY OF NEW ZEALAND. THE Undersigned are prepared to accept

FIRE and MARINE INSURANCES on [192 Ivaourable terms. Current rates, and a guaranteed Bonus equal

> S. J. DAVID & Co., Hongkong, 1st November, 1894.

NOTICE. THE MAN ON INSURANCE COMPANY, LIMITED.

CAPITAL SUBSCRIBED .....\$1,000,000 The above Company is prepared to accept MARINE RISKS at CURRENT RATES on GOODS, &c. Policies granted to all Parts of the world payable at any of its Agencies.

HEAD OFFICE, . No. 2, QUEEN'S ROAD WEST. Hongkong, 24th November, 1893.

GENERAL NOTICE. THE ON TAI INSURANCE COMPANY, (LIMITED.)

CAPITAL, TAELS 600,000 } \$833,333-33-EQUAL TO ..... RESERVE FUND ..... \$318,000.00. BOARD OF DIRECTORS. LEE SING, Esq. LO YEUR MOON, Esq.

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MARINE RISKS on GOODS, &c., taken at CURRENT RATES to all parts of the HEAD OFFICE, 8 & o. PRAYA WEST.

Honekong, 17th December, 1885.

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LODGE OF HONGKONG,

No. 618, S.C. REGULAR MEETING of the above LODGE will be held in the FREEMASONS' HALL, Zetland Street, on TUESDAY, the 12th instant, at 8 for 8.30 p.m. precisely. Visiting Erethren are cordially invited. Hongkong, 5th December, 1893.

DISTRICT GRAND LODGE OF HONGKONG AND SOUTH CHINA

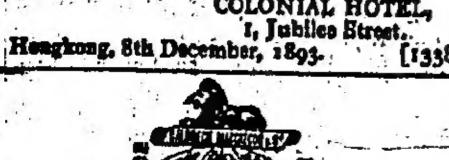
THE EIGHTEENTH REGULAR AND NUAL MEETING of the DISTRICT GRAND LODGE OF HONGKONG AND SOUTH CHINA, will be bold in the MASONIC HALL, Zetland Street, on FRIDAY, the 29th December, at 8.30 for 9 p.m. precisely. Hoogkong, 37th November, 1893.

### Intimations.

WANTED. OR an OUTPORT, a European NURSERY GOVERNESS. Apply to

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EVERYTHING SUITABLE FOR A PRESENT TO A LADY. EVERYTHING SUITABLE FOR A PRESENT TO A GENTLEMAN. EVERYTHING SUITABLE FOR A PRESENT TO A CHILD.

IMMENSE VARIETY.

ALL NEW GOODS

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CANADIAN PRODUCE: MCLAREN'S GLASS JAR CHEESE. SALTED SALMON ......zo cents per lb. SALMON BELLIES..... 15 cents per lb. SALMON STEAKS (1lb, tins)......40 cents per tin. Hongkong, 13th November, 1803.

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QUEEN'S ROAD.

Hongkong, and November, 1893.

Hongkong, 28th November, 1893.

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Nos. I to 7 D'Aguilar Street, Hongkong, 30th November, 1893. J. P. COTTAM. MANAGING PARTNER.

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Houghong, 17th Movember, 18cm.

R. TUCKER

### Intimations.

ITALIAN CONVENT ANNUAL BAZAAR THE ITALIAN CONVENT ANNUAL BAZAAR in aid of the POOR CHIL-DREN will be held in the Convent, CAINE

ROAD, on THURSDAY and FRIDAY, the 14th and 15th instant, at 9 A.M., and the Drawing will take place on the 16th at 10 A.M.

Purchasers of tickets are requested to return the counterfoils not later than the 8th inst., so as to avoid mistakes.

Lady Superioress earnestly solicits the support of the community on behalf of this descrying charitable enterprise.

Hongkong, 4th December, 1803. HONGKONG BENEVOLENT SOCIETY.

GENERAL MEETING of the SOCIETY El will be held in the CITY HALL, at NOON, on FRIDAY, 22nd December, 1893.
The Committee hope that all those who take any interest in the work of the Society will be

F. H. MASTER, Acting Hon. Secretary. Hongkong, 6th December, 1891. " [1329

NOTICE. THE Interest and Responsibility of the Undersigned in the "MARINE LABOUR BUREAU," No. 20, Praya Central, CEASED on the 1st instant. All accounts connected

therewith have been SQUARED up to that Hongkong, 7th December, 1803.

NOTICE. THE Undersigned having been appointed Agents for the

KONINKLIJKE PAKETVAART MAATSCHAPPII. are prepared to grant through Bills of Lading to | Captain Jackson, will be despatched for the Ports of Java, Sumstra (East and West Coast) | above Ports on or about THURSDAY, the 28th Celebes, Timor, Sunda Islands, Dutch New Instant. Guines, &c., &c. Bills of Luding for through Cargo from these Ports to be presented to the Undersigned for countersignature.

LAUTS, WEGENER & Co. Hongkong, 25th November, 1893. GRIFFITH'S

NEW YEAR CARDS. WITH PHOTOGRAPHS ILLUSTRA-TING CHINESE LIFE and VIEWS of HONGKONG and the OUT-PORTS. Suit-

able Souvenirs for posting Home. Can be had at the Studio 2, Ice House Road and Duddell Street, or from any Booksellers, .

Hongkong, 9th November, 1893. NGAI SHANG. 22, QUEEN'S ROAD EAST.

DATTAN FURNITURE of Every Description. CHAIRS, COUCHES, TABLES, BASKETS, CHILDREN'S COTS, &c., &c. Latest Patterns, Best Workmanship.

Rattan Core, Split Rattan, Canton Reed and Sundries of all kinds. Hongkong, 28th November, 1801.

THOMAS' GRILL ROOMS, (Corner of Queen's Road and Duddell Street.)

THE Undersigned has always thought that Baker, Master, now at Shanghai, will load here such a place as this was the one thing for the above Port, and will have quick needed to fit, in between HOTEL LIFE and the despatch. PRIVATE BOARDING HOUSE—providing it be First-class in every detail. A place where one may have his GRILLED CHOP or STEAK at any hour of the Day, up to II P.M.; or later if notice be given: He is also prepared to SUPPLY MEALS to PRIVATE PARTIES per MENU or ORDER-the Parties sending Dishes, &c., for same-and Cash, Scale on

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Breakfast .....\$0.50 Time .....\$0.75 Dinner .....\$1.00 SPECIAL TIFFINS and DINNERS served Excellent Style at short notice.

W. THOMAS

Hongkong, 3rd May, 1803. PRIVATE BOARD RESIDENCE

LENEALY BUILDINGS. MRS. GILLANDERS. -Hongkong, 22nd November, 1893.

LADIES AND GENTLEMEN. MONTHLY BOARD .....\$30

PRIVATE BOARD AND RESIDENCE

MONTHLY BOARD and RESIDENCE having arrived, Consignees of Cargo are hereby informed that their Goods are being landed at

Nos. 2 & g. Peddar's Hill. Hongkong, 11th November, 1803.

## Shipping.

STEAMERS.

"MILBURN" LINE OF STEAMERS." FOR NEW YORK, VIA SUEZ CANAL. THE Steamship

"HANKOW." Captain West, will be despatched for the above Port on MONDAY, the 11th Instant. Por Freight or Passage, apply to DODWELL, CARLILL & Co.,

Hongkong, 4th December, 1803. "MOGUL" LINE OF STRAMERS."

FOR NEW YORK YIA SURZ CANAL HE Steumship " OCAMPO." Ceptain Price, will be despatched for the above

Por Freight or Passess apply to DODWELL, CARLILL & Co. Monghood, 7th December, 1841.

### Shipping. STEAMERS.

DOUGLAS STEAMSHIP COMPANY, LIMITED.

FOR SWATOW, AMOY AND TAMSUI. THE Company's Steamship

"HAILOONG," Captain Rosch, will be despatched for the above

Ports TO-MORROW, the 10th Instant, at Day-For Freight or Passage, apply to DOUGLAS LAPRAIK & Co.,

General Managers. Hongkong, oth December, 1893. AUSTRIAN LLOYD'S STEAM NAVIGA-

TION COMPANY. UNDER MAIL CONTRACT WITH THE AUSTRIAN

GOVERNMENT. STEAM TO SHANGHAI AND KOBE.

THE Company's Steamship "GISELA." Captain F. Kossovich, will leave for the above places on FRIDAY, the 15th instant, at Noon.

For Freight or Passage, apply to

C. ZANELLA. Hongkong, 8th December, 1803.

"SHIRE" LINE OF STEAMERS. FOR LONDON AND HAMBURG. THE Steamship

"GLAMORGANSHIRE."

For Freight or Passage, apply to DODWELL, CARLILL & Co., Hongkong, 7th December, 1893.

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THE foo A. I. British Ship

THE 100 A. I. British Ship "MACMILLAN," Guthrie, Master, will load here for the above Port, and will have quick despatch.

For Freight, apply to SHEWAN & Co. Hongkong, 1st December, 1803.

FOR NEW YORK.

"BANGALORE," Condon, Master, will load here for the above Port, and will have quick despatch.

For Freight, apply to SHEWAN & Co. Hongkong, 8th December, 1893. FOR NEW YORK.

THE 3/3 L. I. L. American Ship "Kenilworth,"

For Freight, apply to Hongkong, 5th December, 1893.

## Consignees.

NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES. FROM CALCUTTA, PENANG AND

SINGAPORE. THE Steamship "LIGHTNING" having arrived from the above Ports, Consignees

of Cargo are hereby informed that their Goods will be delivered from alongside. Cargo impeding the discharge or remaining on board after the 13th instant, will be landed at Consignees' risk and expense into the Godowns of the Wanchai Warehouse and Storage Company, Limited, Wanchai.

No Fire Insurance will be effected.

Bills of Lading will be countersigned by DAVID SASSOON, SONS & Co., Agents. Hongkong, 8th December, 1803.

AUSTRIAN LLOYD'S STEAM NAVIGA-TION COMPANY. NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES.

FROM SHANGHAI AND KOBE. THE Steamship

"VINDOBONA" their risk into the Godowns of the Hongkong and Kowloon Wharf and Godown Company,

imited, whence delivery may be obtained. No Claims will be admitted after the Goods have left the Godowns; and all claims must be sent in to the Undersigned before Noon on the No Fire Insurance has been effected, and any Goods remaining in the Godowns after the 14th instant, will be subject to rent.

Agentia. s abitime the state of the Hongkong 7th December, 1803. PACIFIC MAIL STEAMSHIP COMPANY.

NOTICE

"CITY OF PEKING." The above Steamer having arrived, Consignees of Cargo are hereby requested to send in their Bills of Lading for Countersignature, and to take inimediate delivery of their Goods from

will be landed and stored at Consigness side and expense. J. S. VAN BUREN,

Houghoug; Sile December, 1895.

Bills of Lading will be countersigned by C. ZANELLA.

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alongside/ Cargo impeding the discharge of the Vessel Forts on or about TUESDAY, the 10th instant,

### Intimations.

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TATE have just received our New Stock of CONFECTIONERY and are offering the same at prices suitable for the present bad

CHOCOLATE CREMES.

PATES D'APRICOT. CHOCOLATE ALMONDS FANCY BOXES of SWEETS of various kinds from 2 Dollars to 25 Cents."

SUGARED ALMONDS. BURNT ALMONDS.

MIXED SWEETS.

TOM SMITH'S CRACKERS CIGARETTE CASES, CIGAR CASES, CARD CASES. In SILVER, ELECTRO; SNAKE SKIN,

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WE INVITE ATTENTION TO OUR STOCKS

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AND A HALF PER MONTH. ALL SUBSCRIPTIONS MUST BE PAID IN ADVANCE.

HONGKOYO, SATURDAY, DECEMBER Q. 1803.

" WHERE IGNORANCE IS BLISS."

THE truth of the aphorism that "a little knowledge is a dangerous thing" applies | flat, empty, collapsed windbags. with double force to the so-called Editor been vastly amused at a series of articles. from a shallow brain would have been own abilities, but they attempt

to patrons in high places that would make even the ancient Pharisee b'ush. However, everything must have an end, not excepting our morning contemporary's ridiculous pretentions to pose as an authority on the leading commercial question of the day, and we fancy that the leader is to-day's Daily Press has demolished for all time another bogus authority on Silver.

In a long rigmarole extending over a column and a half, the Daily Press tries to prove that the price of silver is bound to go up considerably, because at present rates the white metal does not pay the cost of production. And our contemporary goes into lengthy details and gives elaborate statistics as a solid basis for its contention—a contention that might be tenable were it based on fact, but in this particular case it is founded on gross and altogether inexcusable ignorance. "The news that the working of the great Broken Hill silver mine for the last six months has resulted in a loss of £37,000 is," says the Daily Press writer, "a striking confirmation of the view that at present prices silver mining does not pay and that a great falling-off in the production must take place." And then so far as the acquisition of land is concerned THE project for a St George's Ball to be held in after detailing the history of the mine, and chiefly in connection with the concentrating and smelting, owing to the unnecessarily costly way in which the works were carried on," the Wyndham Street oracle opines that "possibly with the exercise of rigid economy the mine may again be placed on a paying basis" although at the present low price of silver "It will not do much more than pay its way if it does so much," and that the fall to 38d. seems to have wiped out the profits extreme regret that we have to demolish | can tell, be practicable; but if so, how our contemporary's house of cards in one it that it has not already been taken up that is dangerous comes in.

havor combined ignorance and brazen "cheek" are capable of accomplishing. The Daily Press writer evidently does not know the difference between the Broken Hill Proprietary Mine and the British Broken Hill Mines. It is the latter concern, which has never paid from the beginning, and not the "great Broken Hill silver mine," that shows a large deficit on its last six months' operations. The Broken Hill Proprietary had originally seven blocks of forty acres each, one of which was turned into a limited company and floated in Melbourne as Block 10; and, if we are not mistaken, the same was done, or at least was intended to be done with Block 14. Two blocks were sold in London and floated as the British Broken Hill Mines, the Broken Hill Proprietary retaining three blocks, which, as everybody who reads the mining journals is aware, have produced wonderful results. We can assure the Daily Press that the Broken Hill Proprietary will not lose money until silver falls below 26d, per ounce—and that is, it is to be hoped, a contingency altogether too remote for serious consideration at present. The British Broken Hill has been a "damper" from the first, and "shut down" when sliver fell to 30d., after the closing of the mints in India. Further comment would be only waste of words; we have plainly exposed the "will o' the wisp" arguments of the Daily Press and taught the aucking

financiers of that purblind publication a

lesson that ought to bear good fruit in the

OFFICIAL UTTERANCES. THE Governor's address on the opening of the Council, and the Colonial Secretary's speech on the introduction of the Budget, are alike remarkably free from polemical features, and quite sober and commonplace by contrast with their utterances of last autumn. A year ago, Sir William Robinson smilingly posed as an administrative wizard, who would in twickling transform depression into prosperity and a deficit into a surplus; while Mr. O'Brien aired himself as a new broom to sweep clean through all unofficial criticism. But twelve months have taught them a valuable lesson; the wizard, mounted on his broomstick, tried to fly and had a fall; the prosperity has not yet come, and the man who scorned a paltry economy of £6,000 a year has now to be mitted for trial. proud of much less. The result is that, instead of pleasant dreams or brilliant flourishes such as characterised the official speeches then, we have now nothing but

These optimistic visionaries are at preof a public newspaper who pretends to sent suffering from the reaction naturally THE members of the Garrison Staff and Depart. teach his readers on a subject, of even the consequent on their distorted views of the mental Mess will, hold a Smeking Concert in rudiments of which he knows absolutely Colony's prospects, and their juvenile con, their Mess Room to-night, commencing at y nothing. For some months past we have | fidence in their own powers; and the disappointment has made them both modest published in the Daily Press, dealing with and cautious. That, at any rate, is the the Silver question, Exchange, and the characteristic feature of their latest other difficult financial problems which have speeches, whoever it may have been that for so long paralysed the whole world of | built them. They strike out quite a new commerce. To any one not acquainted with line-and a subtle one, in its way; they the writer, these purposeless emanations are (comparatively) reticent about their events in detail early next week. pen of an ambitious school-boy who critics, advising their unofficial advisors, wished to see himself in print, and certainly and teaching the business men of the no ignorant schoolboy could have written. Colony how to improve their business. greater, rubbish. But mediocrity appears | That is to say, the address delivered to be a paying element on the Daily Pats, through the medium of the Governor especially when strongly supported by an | contains a suggestion, not very aggressive, glowing account—such as the show seelly petent and experienced officers of the Public | four. She ran selected near obsequious and MacStcornantid tondylam as follows !--

The fall of sliver and the action of the Indian Government in regard to it, besides having exporter, has put new ventures, and profitable ones, within the reach of capitalists in China and Japan, as well as in this Colony. The Chinese are slow to begin anything new, but if the present state of affeirs continues they will be compelled to produce and export many articles which they have hitherto imported from European and other countries. The Japanesa are quite alive to the situation. so far as it concerns them, and are not only crecting new cotton milis, it is said to the number of twenty, but are about to take the import duty off raw cotton. It is possible, therefore, that we may seen see Japan, for a time, supplying China with goods which she formerly obtained from Europe or India. It seems snomalous that whilst England should be striving to extend her commercial relations in be countenancing measures which apparently | ensulan of the Diet by the Great Japan Society in have the effect of creating competition sgainst | kept a profound secret ; the following points. herself and her own productions in the Far East; however, are understood to form the basis of Under these circumstances, the attention of the it :community should be directed to the desirability of establishing cotton mills in Horgkong. The Government is in possession of several eligible juriediction. sites, and if only capitalists, either European or | (c) Foreigners to be allowed mixed residence Chinese, will come forward and invest their within certain limits in the open ports only,

capital in such enterprises. I will endeavour that

avourable circumstances, to lead to the introduc-

tion of additional local industries, such as cotton

spinning and weaving; and no more fitting time

than the present seems likely to occur. This matter is worthy therefore of the earnest consideration not only of this community but of capitalists in the neighbouring province of China. This "happy thought" on the part of the Government was apparently intended to kill two birds with one stone -to been the revenue from sales of Crown lands, in which a boom is sadly of this "mountain of silver;" and needed, and to carry war into the enemy's then he very kindly sympathises with country, by delicately indicating that the the shareholders, whilst rejoicing on mercantile community of the Far East general grounds that "we have at last could not see where there was an opening. Is however, po r prospect for thus making forreached a quotation beyond which there and needed lessons from non-mercantile is no possibility of any further great fall friends, instead of trying to educate the in the price of silver." These are prima Government in the art of governing. It facie strong arguments, and it is with is a very good idea; it might, as far as we act. This is where the little knowledge | The mere fact that the enterprising spirits of Hongkong do not seem to be moving the far off Fatherland. The amount in dispute It is not true that the working of "the in the matter affords a fair presumption great Broken Hill silver mine for the that their knowledge and experience last six months has resulted in a loss of forbid any such venture; and prima: £37.000"; the statement is utterly false facis. It looks like an amateur and and gratuitously ignorant. Let us clearly a tyro telling a chess master what piece to but briefly explain the situation, and open move. Perhaps the Governor might our contemporary's eyes to what have been on safer ground if he had spoken in his own line; or, perhaps, in other ways, that might have been least

### TELEGRAMS.

safe of all-for there are some things

better left alone.

THE ITALIAN MINISTRY.

LONDON, December 7th. Signer Z mardelli, who formed the New Italian Ministry, has resigned and retired from the

THE SIAMESE DIFFICULTY. the Foreign Office, stated that the Protocol will be presented on Monday. No definite agreement has yet been concluded placing the buffer state under the control of China.

PROFESSOR TYNDALL The verdict of the Coroner's jury at the inquest held on the body of Professor Tyndall, shows that death resulted from the administration of chloral, given by his wife in mistake for magnesia.

> THE MANCHESTER CANAL. December 8th.

The Manchester Canal will be opened to traffic on the first day of January, 1894. steamer, with the Directors of the Company on board, traversed its entire length yesterday.

MR. GLADSTONE. Mr. Gladstone is confined to his room, suffering from severe pains and ladigestion.

ITALY. Signor Crispi was granted a prolonged sudience by King Humbert.

MASHONALAND. Many of the Malabele have submitted to the Chartered Company, and a portion of Lobengula's forces is being disbanded.

LOCAL AND GENERAL.

D'ARC's Marionette show has recently been doing good business in Singapore.

cordially invited.

o'clock: A capital programme has been arranged and an enjoyable evening is a certainty.

"An Old Sportsman" will deal with the list of

HOUSEHOLDERS have been rather concerned during the past few days over the sudden give in improved the position of the tes grower and the rrice of coal convequent upon the scarcity of that commodity, comuch prized at this season of the year, I'A short time since it was quoted at \$5 per ton; to-day it is \$8, but as there are now some thirteen colliers en route to this port from Japan, no anxiety need he felt as to either familie or famine prices in that direction.

> MR SYDNEY B. Jugging Skettchiev, etc., appears to presess vet another title of which his "Old Volume " admirers have us till now been in igamence. He claims to be an English delegate. of the International Congress of Americanistswhatever that may mean, if it means anything, E. D. I. C. A. set in large capitals after Skerichlay's already lengthy alphabet, would have an imposing effect in local literary circles.

China on the one hand, she should on the other | Thu petition to be submitted to the forthcoming

(a) Recovery of tariff and judicial autonomy. (3) Abalition of extra-territoriality and Consular

explaining that "the unfavourable result this nature in Hongkong ought, under these seeins a stronge research for abandoning what the was intended as a National celebration. It is by no means certain that a Musonic Ball will be held, but were it otherwise we really fall to see what connection there is in a function of this sort between those who declare themselves for "St George and Merrie England" and the Masonic fraternity.

> Thus the Siam Free Press :-"To live in Bangkok and not be inoculated with libel feyes appears an ut'er impossibility. Nor are these little financial schemes confined to British Courts. For the last we hear of is a libel action brought against a German resident by two gentlementhis appellation will, we believe, be discussed and defined-recently arrived in Bungkok. There tunes under Grown law, the maximum fine being 600 marks. (£6-) for great and small fry -not \$3,000 and \$5,000 !

> A HIGHLY entertaining argument was heard at the sire door of the Hangkong Hotel this morning between a chair-coolie and a foreigner whose secont betrayed his origin to have been in wasn't much-in fact it was only a highly suspicious-locking one-cent piece, which the coo'is scorned to accept. As an object-lesson the scene was highly amusing, to say nothing of being instructive, and must have given the on oaking coolies much food for reflection. Their version of the legend of "Ye Golden-winged Globe-trotter" is now in course of revision.

THE Austrian Government has fald before the 1977 " (Hongkong agents, Mesirs, Reuter, House of Representatives a bill for granting Brockelmann & Co.) An inquiry will be held additional support to the mercantile marine. This on Tuesday morning next. No casualty is measure proposes to grant to steamers and sail. reported. ing vessels in the oversea and greater coasting

THE Nagasaki Rising Sun briefly condenses carualties attendant unon the storm which Ir Edward Grey, Parliamentary Secretary of | passed through Nagaraki-ten on the 14th Oct. last :- Number of houses totally destroyed 2,230 partially destroyed 1.308; Government buildings and public schools destroyed to, partially destroyed 1; temples totally destroyed 8, partially destroyed 4; warehouses and sheds totally destroyed 1,436; partially 720; persons killed 23, friured 26, missing 30; cartle killed 2; roads damaged 637; embankments destroyed 172; bridges broken 8; trees felled 117; estimated total amount of loss yest 111,389.00.

> WITH reference to our editorial on the Broken Hill Silver Mine the following para, from a late Sydrey contemporary will probably interest the feader writer of the Daily Press :- "Broken Hill Proprietary has finally adopted the Howell-Atheroft Sing Steam Generator, paying £12,500. for the perpetual right to use the invention; but out of this sum, which is an advance of £2,500 on the beach. on the Company's first offer, the Genera'or people will have to build a plant, dimensions not stated. They will, however, be able to pay a. small dividend with the surplus, and will have the invention thoroughly tested. The Proprictary, it is said, will save \$50,000 per annum by adopting the patent."

Wodehouse, the prisoner charged with arson of knowledge. As member of parliament for West | passengers, the alle No. 3144, Queen's Road, was come Clare, our old Hongkong friend has yet to make bis mark.

quelified for the post." It is a pity, however, July, 1824, there appears a notice of the launch. sanitary science. He should for preference be gor feet 6 luches; beam, 50 feet 7 inches; in any case a thorough acquaintance with was calculated that she would carry 0,000 THE programme of the Hongkong Jockey Club | the leading principles of sanitation is a sine tons of lumber. The paper spoken of in Issue Race Meeting for 1894 is printed in another part | oud non. Now Mr. Ram is neither a of July 22nd, 1825, contains an item headed, the sand February, and two following days. training he may have had in his youth in a how the vessel on May 17th, 1825, encountered surveyor's office is absolutely uscless for the a dreadful storm in latitude 46 deg. 54 min. important technical duties he will have to per- north, longitude 20 deg, 2 min. west; commenced form. Of course nobody blames Mr. Ram for to leak and was abandoned. She carried a crew tive, wanted to see it some more; in fact, he place, saddling a complete novice with such an were : length be dock 303 feet, depth of hold as recovered as to be able to write a full and the gross injustice done to two thoroughly com- Soo tens on dock. She carried a crew of eighty-Calale, France, on Cheshet slot, 18ch.

THE Mission steam-launch Day Spring will call alongside vessels hoisting code pennant C, between o and 10.30 a.m. on Sunday, to convey men ashore to the H o'clock service, returning about 12.30 p.m.

Ar the Magistracy to-day, before Mr. Hastings, a " bry " was sent; to giol for nine months, for stealing two watches, and a chain, worth \$130, from the cabin of Mr. Nodop, chief engineer on the Amiga, while in dock on November 23rd.

THE Straits Times states that a fire broke out in a Chinese petroleum warehouse in Batteria on the 26th ultime, in which some seventy thousand cases of oil were consumed. The damage amounts to 200,000 guil ers and it is reported that several foreign insurance companies are interested in it.

AT the Club :-Ram .-- You heard I had been appointed secretary of the Sanitary Board ? . .:

Jam .-- Oh, yes ! Ram.-What do all the fellows say about it Jam .- They don't say anything ; they just

In the Singapore Supreme Court on the 27th ultimo, the second hearing of the charge of murder preferred against a Chinaman named Ng Ayow was concluded and, as on the previous occasion, the jusy disagreed-four against three. The case will have to be tried over again, Jurors they shall be treated with exceptional liberality. February is stried to have collapsed in in Singapore apparently have opinions of their

> LET Glasgow flourish! Advance Scotland Another historical triump's for the Sons of the Mist. Mr. Sydney B. J. Skertchley says that America was discovered by the Scots many years before the 10th century. That, no doubt, accounts for the Red Indians wearing kilts. Bravo, Skertchley, go right ahead with your researches and try and find out, who discovered the moon.

THE Japan Herald notes that a report has been received in that country to the effect that the Japanese emigrants in Hawaii have lost Divine :- Anything real devilish in courage, w very much of their credit Litely. They have specially lost it in the eyes of their employers in the neighbourhood of Honolule, and their relations are very straiged. There have consequently been many who have been discharged, and business therefore suspended in many quarters. The employers have held several conferences in connection with the subject, and have petitioned for liberty to import Chinese as

A FIRE was discovered this morning, at about halfpast four, in a Chinese esting-house at 11 Bonham Strand Central. The brigade turned out promptly under Mr. Mathleson, and after a good deal of hard work the flames were got under before the piemises were destroyed. All three floors were bidly damaged by fire and water, as well as the top floors of the two houses adjoining (on each side), also occupied by the same firm-the lower floors being tenanted by others. The cause of the fire is unknown, but the whole of the catinghouse was insured with the "Hamburg Co. of

trades, certain allowances for working expenses FORTUNE has not smiled kindly on the first as well as voyage-pr miums, and to exempt them | racing venture of the popular Mr. " Jack " Lewis, from the operation of the income-tax for a period | for he has had the bad luck to lose what was of five years. Vessels, however, already enjoying | considered one of the most promising of the a State subsidy will not be e-ti-led to the new subscription griffins yet landed. The pony was allowances. Owners benefiling by the new law a stylish-looking cream, possessing many good (if it passes) will have to place their vessels at racing points, and had he gone to the post fi and the disposal of the Government in time of war. well he would, in all probability, have justified his good looks. The accident occurred in the stable this moraing; the mafee went into the the following as being reliable statistics of the stall to put on the bridle when by some chance the pony seared over and broke his back. Ho ever, it is to be hoped that this misfertune disheartening though it be, will not damp the ardour of our latest " noble owner," for it is such "sports" as Mr. Lewis that Hongkong stands sidly in need of.

> shivering shrimp approached an Official Octopus and whined :--Please, sir, will you appoint me Secretary of

he Sanitary Board No, certainly not I You have no knowledge. of sanitary work, and the bath will be offered to one who has. But he is in a good position already while I

am out of work. Well, whose fault is that? It is no reason why we should suffer from your incompetence.

It does not make you a technical expert any the But the Philanthropist has chucked me out-

Well, this is not the Benevolent Asylum ! (But it was, all the same, for if you pull the string, the figure always moves.)

A DESPATCH dated La Libertad (Honduras) American flig this morning. By order, so it is of inion of the Chinese, Malay or other Asiatic said, of President Vasques and by express com- race? How would such races regard the oplum THE writer in the hom- paper on the career of mand of the Commissioner of the Port of Mr. Rochefort Maguire, referred to in this Amapala, seven cannon shots were fired on the morning's Dally Press, gets rather mixed up in Pacific Mail, steamship. Costa Rica, flying the themselves of the opium habit? his facts and omits one very important circum- Stars and Stripes, as she steamed away to-day, (11) If the supply of Indian op um were to be stance which is of considerable local interest because she refused to surrender one of her cut off, what would be the effect on opium consuand which directly influenced the irrepressible. passengers to the Honduras Government. United | mers, and on the Asiatic propintion of your neigh-"B. mey's" success. When Maguire, about States Minister Baker was on board the Costa | bourhood? Would they supply themse'ves with ten years ago, got 'ired of Sir "Gush" Bowen Rica at the time. The passenger about whom opium from elsewhere? Or would they take to and the dead-and-rive in mitter of Hongkong the trouble grose is Politarpo Bonilla, who i alcohol or to some narcotic other than opinin? secial life, he was finarcially 'dead-broke,' and recently led a revolution to Honduras, but was: Or would they abstaln altogether? his credit was decidedly shaky. After having a defeated by General Vasquez .. He then fied to ... (12) What proportion of your Colony's revinue turn in England without anything promising turn- Nicaragus, where 100 of his adherents joined accrues from optum? 71 the optum revience ing up, he determined togo to South Africa, which | the army of President Sucasa, who was engaged | were entirguished, could your Colony raise the country was just commencing to boom with in an attempt to quell the rebellion to that | needful revenue otherwise? What would the its dismond mines; and happening to meet George | country. Bonilla decided to leave Nicaragua, in | people sty to the loss of the opium revenue and Coxon on one of the English race-courses he order to relieve the Government from all respond the obligation to make up the deficit? borrowed £100 to pay his passage. How Maguirs sibility of barboring him. He therefore sailed struck oil' almost immediately, and within a from Corinto for Guatamala on November Ath few months had realised a handsome fortune, on the Costa Rica. American Minister Baker In the police court yesterday, before Mr. H. E. reported at £50 000, are matters of common and more than too other persons were his fellow the habit?

A REGULAR meeting of Persverance Lodge, No. "UPSILON," the wilter of "Occasional Notes" tons register and one of the largest sailing ships fever, or theumalism, or malaria? Or la it so 116c. E.C., will be held in Freemasons' Hall, in our morning contemporary, referring to the sheat; It is generally thought that four-masted, regarded commonly by any Ariatic race with Zetland Street, on Saturday, the 16th Instant, at recent appointment of Acting Sanitary Superin- sailing ships and of such large dimensions are which you are conversant? 4.40 for C'p.m. precisely. Visiting brethren are tendent, says that "in Mr. Ram the Government of secent origin, but such is not the case. In a has obtained a good man who is the roughly well copy of the Prince Edward Island Register of desire to get free of the opium habit? that he does not state what Mr. Ram's particular | at Quebec, on the 19th of July, of that year, of the qualifications are. An efficient Sanitary four-masted ship Columbus of 3,700 tons Superintendent must have had special training register. Her dimensions are given as and ought to have a practical knowledge of follows: Register, 3,000 32-34 tons; length, either a medical man or a chemist, but depth of hold, 29 feet 4 inches It you? of this issue. The races will be held on Thursday, medical practitioner nor a chemist, and whatever | "Loss of the timber ship Columbus," detailling generally set down as essays from the diversion in the way of criticising their THE "Living Warworks" at Mount Relief Governor within tendays, as he has been desired this af ernoon were so phenomenally successful a certain select and charmed official circle -the Baron of Renfrew-was affort at the to forward such replies to the Commission with that cur special commissioner, after one inspec- severely condemns the Governor for, in the first same time as the Columbus. Her dimensions the least possible delay, in triplicate. refused to leave the premises until be was slung | important ; ublic responsibility as saleguarding | fest, measurement tonnage 5,300. She carried out. By Monday he will probably have so for the health of the community, and secondly, for nearly 9 000 tons of lumber, to her hold, besides

THE Camdian Pacific Railway Co.'s royal mal steamer Empress of India left Yokohama for Vancouver on Friday afternoon, the 10th al'o.

AT the Magistracy to-day, before Mr. Hastings, two scamen of the ablo Bangalore were sent to gaol for two months, in lieu of paying \$30 each, for assaulting the second and third officers.

A DELICATE and at the same time a rather interesting point of law, for Mohammedans especially, was decided by Mr. French in the British Consular Court at Bangkok on the 22nd ult. According to the Siam Free Press one Mohamid Aseral died lately, leaving two widows and several children. Prior to his death the deceased made a will by which only the first wife and the children from both marriages were entitled to the deceased's estate. Upon the death of the husband the second wife claimed her share of the estate but was refused on the ground that no provision was made for her in the will. She thereupon presented a petition, and his Honour secured the assistance of some experts of the Mohammedan law on the points at lasine. According to their exposition of the law it was shown that the second, wife was equally entitled with the first wife to a share of the decessed's estate, and on the conclusion of their evidence, Mr. French extered a verdict in accordance with their roling.

THE LADIES' L' XICON.

An infallible guide to femin nity. Damages :- The pieces of family jurs that only gold can mend.

Dence :-- A motion to insure woman's suffrage.

Derling :- The combination that opens the safe. D'ar i-Similar, but pot so potent. Declaration :- To yourself means love ; to your rival meaus war.

Demi-monde :-- The ladles on the other side of Denilst :- The only man who looks her square in the | w.

Dismond :- Sometimes a miliatone ; sometimes A Rhine stone; but niways a dazzler. Dimple :- Cupid's trade mark.

or wisdom. Doctor .- The j ker who trumps all your husband's cards. Dollar :- The mint stuce that makes the Wall

Street Lamb acceptable. Dress :- Once Eve's leaves ; now leaves Eve's for bare sking. Drink :- The element of liquidation. Duchess :- A winner in the malden stakes.

Dake :- A hand worth winning, Dumby :- The other woman who has your Dyc: The turn of a hair; a secret that is in

A. T. la N. Y. Hallo.

ROPAL COMMISSION ON OPIUM

QUESTIONS SENT BY THE HOVCKONG GOVERNMENT TO CHINESE RESIDENTS TO BE FILLED UP.

Questions regarding opium consumption and opium revenue in the Colenies and Dependencies of Singapore, Penang and Hong-

(1) Is opium commonly consumed by people of Chinese, Malay, or other Asiatic race in your (2) What proportion, should you conjecture, the adult males of each race are consumers?

(3) What have you observed to be the effects of opium, moral, physical - nd social, on its consumers 1. Or can you deaw dist notions between. the eff-cis on consumers of different races? (4) Do consumers chiefly smoke, or do theyeat opium? Or do they drink a decoction of.

oplum? If opium is taken in two or all theseforms, can you distinguish between the effects: of each? . (5) Do the great majority of opium consumers become slaves to the drug and eventually

become "opium sots," or do you find the m jority, or a considerable proportion of consumers to be modera'e consumers? (6) Is it correct to say that there cannot be such a thing as moderation in the consumption. of oplum? Do you know of many cases of con-

sumers who have taken their opium for years without harm to themselve ? If so, give descrip . tions of one or two such cases in detail. (7) Do a majority of the labourers, or of this merchants, or of the artisans, belonging to any Asiatic race with which you are conversent, rousume oplum? If so, what is generally the effect of the oplum hat it on their efficiency is their

calling? If possible give details and examples in reply to this question, (8) How does the use or abuse of oplum among any Asiatic race with which you are conversant compare with the use or abuse of alcohol smong such races, in regard to the effect on the consumers?

(o) Is the habit of consuming opium con-November 6th says:-Honduras fired upon the | demued as degrading or i jurious by the g neral habit as compared with the alcohol habit? (10) Can, and do, opiom covisumers break

(13) Do people of European rice contrd ct the oplum habit in any numbers? If not, why not?...

And what makes Asiatics more liable to of miract (14) How are or lum consumers led to die the drog ? . Do they usually or often take it in the THE British ship Somall, which left this port a first instance to allay physical pain? Is oplum. few weeks ago for San Francisco, was of 3,346 within your knowledge a prophylactic against

> (15) Do opium consumers themselves manally (16) Is there among any Asiatic race in your Colony a feeling of hostilly against I ngland for allowing opium to be exported from India? If I so, how does that feeling display [tself / (17) Have you any remark to make in regard

> to or fum consumption among the people around N.B. -It is desired that gentlemen who kindly undertake to deal with these questions should answer as many as they can,

By Order of The Royal Commission on Oplum. October 1806.

If any answer, to be forwarded to H.E. the One copy for Commission One copy for Betretaty of State One to be filed in this Office,

(Sa.) G. T. M. O'BRIEN.

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Previous

day 4 p.m.

9th December, 1893.-At 10 a.m.

HONGKONG JOCKEY CLUB RACE MEETING, 1894.

FIRST DAY .- THURSDAY 22ND FEBRUARY. The WONG NEI CHO G STAKES, for China ponies; weight tor inche ; subscription griffins of this Scaron, 1893 94, allowed 7.bs; entrance \$5, with \$100 acced. Half-a-mile.

The ASHLEY CUP, presented by D. R. Sassoon, Erq., fir China pontes; entrance \$5, to go to winner; weight for inches. One mile.

The Hongkond Dri By, sweepstakes of \$10 each, h. If forf it it declared on or before the day of closing entries, with \$250 added for rat pony, and \$100 for 21 d; for all China pontes bona fide griffins st date of entry (Saturday, 20th January, 1894); first pony, 70 per cent,; 2 cond, 120 per cent,; third to per cent; weight for inches. One-mi c-and-a-halt. (Nominations close to the Clark of the Course at the Club on Saturday, the 30th December, 1893.)

The FORCHOW CUP, value \$200, presented by weight for inches ; entrance \$5. Two miles. The VALLEY STAKES, sweepstakes of \$5 each.

with \$100 added for winner, and \$50 for and pony, for subscription griffins of this season, 1803-94, only; weight for inches. Three-quarters-of-a-mile.

The LUSITANO CUP, presented by the Members of the Club Lusitino, for China ponies; weight for inches; previous winners at this meeting, 7 lbs ext a ; subscription griffins of thi. season, 1893 94, allowed 71bs.; entrance \$10; second pony to receive half the entrance mor ey. One-mile-and-a-quarter.

The CANTON CUP, value \$ 50; for China ponles, bond fide griffins at date of entry (20 h January, 1804); weight for inches; winners at this meeting, 7 lbs. extra ; entrance \$5. One mile The HONGKONG! LUB (UP, presented, for China ponies; weight for inches; entrance \$15;

second pony to receive 50 per cent. of entrance

money. One-mile-and-a-half. subscription griffins of this season, 1893-04. only; weight for inches; winner of Valley Stakes, 5 lbs. extra; entrance \$5; second pony to receive half the entrance money. One

SECOND DAY, - FRIDAY, 23RD FEBRUARY. The SCURRY STAKES, sweepstakes of \$10 each,

Three-quarter-of-a-mile. The EXCHANGE PEATS, presented by the the application, were represented by Messrs.

bankers and exchange brokers of Hongkong, for China ponles; weight for inches; winners A of Ashley, Foochew, Lusitano or Hongkong during which the bankrupt's affirs were Club Cup at this meeting 5ths, extra; entrance and-t: rec-quarters.

The GERMAN CUP; presented by members of the German Club; for subscription griffins of this season, 1893-94, only; weight for inches; entrance \$ 0; second pony to receive half the entrance miney. One-mile-and-a-quarter. The PROFISSIONAL (UP; presented; for al

one race at this meeting, 71bs, extra ; of two or more races, to lbs. extra; previous non-Blarters to carry 12st.; entrance \$10; second pony to receive half the entrance money. One-mlle-and-a-quer er.

The ICCKEY UP, value \$150; for subscription ponies of this and last season, winners excluded: to be sidder by jackeys who have never had a winning mount previous to this meeting in Hengkong or China; weight for inches; entrance \$5. One mile.

The FLYAWAY STAKES, for all China poples : weight for inches ; previous winners at this meeting, 7lbs. extra; subscription griffins of off two scres of strawberries last year. this season, 1813-91. allowed 71bs.; entrance

The TAI YIUK FONG CUP,-present by J. D. Fumphre's. Fsq .- for China poples being bona fide griffigs at date of entry; subscription Griffing weight for inches as per scale, other priffice 71b. extra; winners of nonsubscription races-of one race 7 lbs. extra; of two or more races-tolb, extra winner of the German Cup 5lbs extra, previous non-starters at this Meeting 12lbs. extra; to be won two meetings in succession or three times in all by a pony the bond fide property of the same owner or coners; the winner to receive 75 per cent, and the second 25 per cent. of the entrance fees until the Cup be finally wen when the second pony shall receive open the T chborne case again. 75 per cent. and the third 25 per cent ; distance one-mile-ard-a-half. Entrance \$10.

The NAVY CUP, presented by Officers of H.M. Fleet,-for all Chica ponies; weight for inches; previous winners of one race, at this meeting 5lbs, extra ; of two races, 7lb, extra ; and of three or more races, tolbs extra ; nonstarters at this meeting excluded ; entrance \$10; second pany to receive half of the entrance money. One-mile-and-a-half.

The WELTER STAKES, for all China ponies; weight 12st; previous winners at this meeting, other than subscription griffins, 7lbs. extra ; the work that Dr. Parkburst and his society are entrance \$5, with \$ 00 added. One mile.

THIRD DAY, -- SATURDAY, 24TH FEBRUARY. The CIVIL SEFVICE PURSE, presented, for subscription griffins of this season, 1803-04; weight for inches; previous winners, 7 lbs. extra ; penalties accumulative; entrance \$5; first woman executed in that city since 1846. second pony to receive half the entrance

money. One mile. The CHALLENGE CUP, value 100 guiness, for | are now burdened to the limit of their strength. China ponies; to be won two years consecurively by a pony or pories the bona fide entrance (foiced) \$5, but optional to subscription griffing of this season, 1803-94; first pony to receive 70 per cent. ; second, 20 per cent. ; and third, to per cent, of entrance money. India.

One-mile-and-hree-quarters. scription griffies that have been placed, 3 lbs. | behalf. extra ; previous non-starters at this meeting |. The late Earl of Derby's bequests to his

HONGKONG STAKES a forced entry of \$5 for all According to statistics just issued in England. money and \$100 add d; second pony 30 per vious time. cent ; weight for inches; winner of German mile-and-a-half.

The PARSEE CUP, presented, for China ponies; second yony to receive \$50; weight for inches; entrance \$10; from the Black Rock twice round | can't stay unmarried three weeks without cross and in.

The GARRISON CUP, presented by the Officers of It is stated that the Russian Government has the Garrison for Chine ponies bono fide griffins | conceded a French company the right to winners at this meeting 7lbs. extra; pensities | the large Russian towns. From two-nile post once round and in.

The CONSOLATION STAKES, for all beaten China three natives being shot dead. pinies at this meeting; weight for inches! The stockholders interes ed in the rallroad

The CHAMPION STAKES, for all Chine ponies, The Coperamient of West Australia propose to winners at this meeting only,—a locate entry; float a loan of £140,000, to be expended in rail-

two races, \$30; of three or mare races, \$50. gold-fields and other mineral resources. One-mile-and-a-half.

The NIL DESPERANDUM STAKES, for all beaten subscription griffins of this season, 1893-94; entrance \$5, with \$50 added for the first pony; second pony to receive \$50; weight for lucher. Half-a-mile.

### SIAM NOTES.

Bangkok, 26th November, 1803. Yesterday, for the fi at time in its existence, the Tramway Company was victorious in an action brought against it by Lee Tak to recover damages for the death of a child, who was run over and killed by a tram-car.

Prince Damrong has presented to the Royal Museum a fine set of well-preserved polished 136 000. The finder's share amounted to stone hatchets found at Hluang Phrahang. They 7:8,000. stron ly resemble those from North America and probably belong to the last (neolithic) period of the Stone Age. They are to be seen in the the Foothow community, for China ponies; Museum at the end of the Paleontological Collection.

On Friday evening, at the Pu Kau Thong festivities, a S'amese woman was robbed of a foot and then snatched the chain away, causing city force. great injury to her breast. Another woman, after dining at the end of the stalls, was blindfoldet by two men, who took from her finger a diamond ring valued at 500 tcs.

Yesterday morning's tide, an old hand assures us, was the highest for twenty years. On Thursday the breeze was north-westerly, and the water on the har was some inches under twelve feet, but on Friday the wind veered round and backed the water up in the Gulf so much that at 4 p.m. there were fourteen feet on the bar, whilst yesterday it was probably very little short of sixteen, at high tide. The result was a general foundation in town, lasting half the day. The electric tramcars stopped early in the morning, for ever three hours, through the power-station being The COMPRADORS' CUP, presented, for all flooded, and by ten o'clock fish were swimming ecross the Oriental Avenue in water six inches deep. Everywhere the compounds and roads were flooded, and in not a few instances residents were unable to get out of their houses. The Consulates were practically inaccerable for hours. The tides should begin to fall now,

. Yesterday the adjourned hearing of a British for all bonn fide entfins at the date of entry; Indian trader's application for discharge came subscription gr ffi s of this S:ason, 1893-94, | before Mr. French, at H B.M. Consulate. His non-wir ners allowed 10 bs; weight for inches. | estate had paid a dividend of nearly 25 per cent. A number of Bombay creditors, who opposed Mitchell and Page, and Mr. Tilleke appeared for the bankrupt. After a number of hearings, minutely investigated, Mr. French decided \$10; second pony to receive \$50. One-mile- | yesterday that no fraud or other misdemeanour could be charged to the bankrupt, and that though he had not been over-careful in keeping his books, they were sufficiently clear to show his dealings. His Honour thereupon granted the discharge, but suspended its operation for two years, as under the new Bankruptcy laws the judge had no discretion to reduce period of suspension in cases where a bankrupt's estate China ponies; weight for inches; winners of did not pay a dividend of 50 per cent .-Stam Observer.

### NEWS AND GOSSIP.

Belgium plans a considerable increase in her

A new industry in France is the selling of milk frozen solid in cans. A water famine at Dublin has stopped the great breweries, and distilleries, Belgian forces have captured Kirundu, an

Arab stronghold near Stanley Falls. A Sydney farmer is said to have made £450 Munich now has a bigger beer-cask than the

In six countries of Europe there are more

men than women, and in sixteen the reverse of this is true. Cooks of all nations are to have a Fair and

Feast in Paris next year, with prizes for "authors of new dishes." There are at the present moment eleven pre-

tenders to the various thrones of Europe trying to make good their claims. Lady Henry Somerset's paper, the Woman's

Herald, of London, England, advocates the abolition of the House of Lord. Several recent interviews and news items indicate that some sort of effort is on foot to

The West Australian Parliament has passed a measure of Chinese restriction, based on the legislation of the other colonies.

Abbas Pasha, the Knedive of Egypt, intends to visit England in the spring of 1894, provided that the English court is willing. An American living in France has succeeded in making a clock entirely of paper, which will

run two years without wearing out. The statement of the Imperial Bank of Germany shows an increase in specie of 21,754,000 marks (about \$5,500,000). In London the Salvation Army has taken up

endeayouring to carry on in N w York. All the big banks of Europe are increasing their reserves. Many years have passed since the world saw so much lide money on hand.

Frau Zillman, who was beheaded in Berlin recently for the murder of her husband, was the Marquis di Rudini saya Italy's military expenses should be reduced, as the taxpayers

The New Decimal Coinage Association has organized with considerable evidence of strength property of the same owners weight for inches; for the purpose or decimalising English colunge, There is an uneasy feeling that the Oplum Commission may increase the spirit of discontent which has been manifesting itself recently in

That old established charity in London, the The LADIDS PURSE, for all China ponies; Scottish Corporation, is financially in a depressed weight for i ches. All ponies not sub- condition, and appeals are being made on its

12 lbs. extra; winners, not subscription servants amounted to \$80,000; from \$500 to griffins, 7 lbs. exira; entrance \$5 | seven | \$1,350 was given to each, according to the length

subscription guilli s of this season, 1193-94; the condition of farm inborers in thirteen counfirst pony to receive 70 per cent. of the entrance | ties of Ireland, is now better than at any pre-

The Greek Government, owning the Milesian and/or Tri Yeak Fong Cups to lbs. extra; mines, is seeking bids for the privilege. The wir mers of any other taces 5 lbs. extra. One- | value at current prices is only \$5 a ton, the ore being sather poor.

There are ten men to every woman in Johannesberg, South Africa, and a schoolma'am eyes and a broken nose

at date of entry; weight for inches; previous establish telephonic communication between all accumulative; entrance \$10; subscription | An encounter between the police and the

griffins of this season, 1893-94, allowed 71bs. | natives on the Ord river, West Australia, resulted in one policeman being speared and twenty-

entrance \$5, with \$100 added for the first from Acre to Damascus are making prophesies pony; second pony to receive \$50. Once about the time when it will be possible to go from London to India in eight days.

weight for inches; entrance \$10; winners of | way construction and in the development of

The authoriti a in Finland will not have active members of the Salvation Army in their midst, It is declared illegal for the Salvationists to wear their uniform or make money collections.

At the French opers, bonnets are forbidden altogether for the occupants of the pi on Saturdays, that being the only night when ladies are admitted to that part of the house. The Italian Admiralty will begin next year the construction of three first-class fronclads, sh first-class cruisers, three second-class cruisers, twelve sea-going torpedo-boats and four dispatch An ex-chimney-sweep, working on tribute at

the White Cliffs, N.S.W., opal-fields, recently struck a pocket of gems which panned out

Father Butler, of Cardiff, doesn't have a mite of trouble getting Sunday-school scholars to attend. He bought 100 pounds of candy at once, recently. The operation netted him forty new scholars.

A state of affairs almost approaching open muliny at present exists among the Belfast gold chain which she were over the left shoulder; constabulary, owing, it is allaged, to the recent and under the right arm. A man trod on her efforts to martialize the 800 men composing the

The already large number of unemployed in Great Britain has been noticeably increased by a water famine, which is forcing mills which have been running on short time to shut down

Rothley Temple, an lvy-clad, picturesque Baronster ...... mansion, not far from Leicester, will soon be jut Humidity up at auction. It is the birthplace of Lord Macsulay, and the great historian spent much of his life there.

A lecomotive is being built at Glasgow which is expected to make 100 miles an hour. It is to have 12-foot drivers, and the builders calculate that it will draw an express train eighty miles an hour with case.

Italy is in financial straits, yet the wast expendiures which have put her in to this condition must be continued. She has been notified by Germany that she must keep up her military and naval strength

The monument which has been erected upon the battle-field of Solferino is one of the largest if not the largest, of its kind in all Europe. It consists of a tower 74 metres high, surmounted

by an electric lamp. It appears that the experiments for some time past in France for obtaining a satisfactory method of color printing on leather have been so far successful as to open up a prospect of a new and attractive is dustry.

The Paris Omnibus Company intends shortly to bring into use a number of compressed-air locomotives for the tramway services. This motivo power has not yet been used in Paris for the purpose of street locamotion,

David James, the actor, who died recently in London, left an est te worth \$150,000. The interest on all, except \$45,000, goes to his widow, upon whose death or remarriage the principal will revert to H-brew charitles. There are said to be 80,000 stuttering children

in the schools of Germany. The increase has been so great during the past four years that the defect is considered to be transmitted from the s'uttering scholars to the others. It is said that Parisians have become so tired of

the Eiffel Tower that they regard it as a nightmare, and it is proposed to remove all the upper part down to the first platform, on which a "Palais de Plaisir" might be erected. Mile. Filesie Mendelsohn, who holds a medi

cal diploma from a Parls priversity, and who established herself at Cairo, was recently called upon to attend the mother of the Khedive. She has since been apprinted doctor at the palace. Various cities in Germany have established

muricipal esting houses as a means for minimizing begging and to relieve the worthy poor of the necessity of accepting food given in Captain Vvvyan, will be despatched as above \$5 with \$100 added. Three-quarters-of-a- famous tun of Heldelberg. It is 105 feet in charity. An ample meal never costs mere than on TUFSDAY, the 12th instant, at 5 P.M. to cents. G. J. Symons, F.R.S., says that since he

began obeservations in London in 1858 he has only once previously registered the rainfall of four consecutive months at less than an inch each, and then it was in winter, and at the end of two exceptionally wet years. The new laws effecting foreigners in France are beginning to take effect. The official report

on naturalizations for 1801 shows that between 1867 and 1887 there were only 10 076 naturelizations whereas, under the new law there were 5,98 in 1890 and 5,371 in 1891. The negotiations between the Prussian

Government and the Duke of Cumberland as to the possession of the library and museum in Hanover have been concluded. The Duke will receive compensation and will allow them to remain as the property of the city,

An English railway is soon to be provided with electric reading lamps on the "drop-a-penny-inthe-slot " system. The penny sets a circk in motion, by which means the current is supplied, and the lamp throws light on the passenger's

In the American colony in London some credence is given to the report that Henry White, Secretary of the Embassy, is to be removed to make room for Mr. Roosevelt, brother-in-law of Mr. Van Alen, the new United States Ambassador to Italy.

Among the sufferers from the hard times in Italy is General Menottl Garibaldi, son of the Italian hero. Although the General, like the other descendants of Garibaldi, has a State rension of 10,000 lire, he lost so much money recently that he was obliged to allow his furniture to be sold last month to pay back taxes. The General is a member of Parliament.

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THE SECOND CONCERT of the Season will be held THIS EVENING, the 9th December, at 9 15 P.M., In the THEATRE ROYAL. A. G. WISE, Esq., in the Chale. REMEMBER TICKETS AT THE DOOR. JAMES A. LOWSON.

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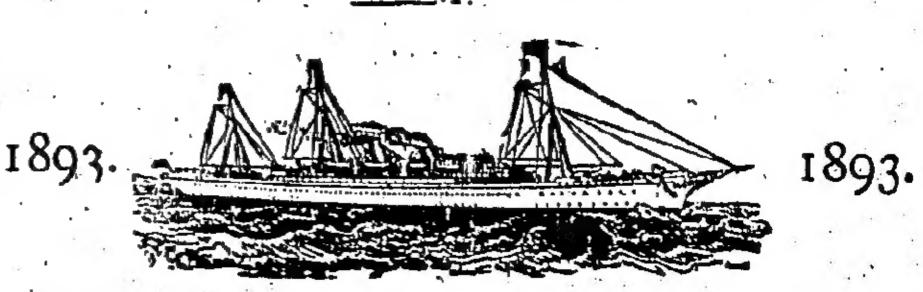
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